

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - MA&UD Department - Allegations of corrupt practices i.e., collecting the amounts from Booth Level Officers (BLOs) and Out-Sourcing employees in Nellore Municipal Corporation - Departmental Proceedings initiated under Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 against Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Commissioner and Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager, Nellore Municipal Corporation - Regular Enquiry - Appointment of Sri J.Satyanarayana, IPS (Retd), Commissioner of Inquiries as an Inquiring Authority - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 373

Dated: 21-05-2019
Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Rc.No.86/RCT-ACB-NNL/2016, dated.22.03.2018.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1125, MA&UD (Vig.II) Dept., dated.13.12.2018.
3. G.O.Rt.No.1126, MA&UD (Vig.II) Dept., dated.13.12.2018.
4. Written Statement of Defences of Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager, dt.11.02.2019 and Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Municipal Commissioner, Nellore Municipal Corporation, dt.16.02.2019.

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Vijayawada while furnishing the final report on the allegations of corrupt practices in Nellore Municipal Corporation have recommended to initiate departmental action with major penalty for violation of A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 against Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Commissioner and Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager, Nellore Municipal Corporation on the allegations of corrupt practices i.e., collecting the amounts from Booth Level Officers (BLOs) and Out-Sourcing employees.

2. Whereas, in the reference 2nd and 3rd read above, disciplinary proceedings have been initiated by framing articles of charges against Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Commissioner and Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager, Nellore Municipal Corporation under Rule-20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

3. In the reference 4th read above, both the charged officers Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Commissioner and Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager have submitted their Written Statement of Defences and requested to drop further action against them.

4. Government have examined the Written Statement of Defences of the charged officers and not convincing with the same, it is considered that an Enquiry Officer should be appointed to inquire into the charges framed against above said officers.

5. Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule-20 of A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1991, the disciplinary authority hereby appoints Sri J.Satyanarayana, IPS (Retd),

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Commissioner of Inquiries as an Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Municipal Commissioner and Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager, Nellore Municipal Corporation.

6. A copy of the Articles of Charges and Written Statement of Defences submitted by the Charged Officers are forwarded herewith to the Inquiring Authority and he is requested to complete the inquiry and submit his report within three (3) months.

7. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri J.Satyanarayana, IPS (R), Commissioner of Inquiries
& Inquiring Authority, G.A. (COI-JS) Department.

Sri M.Vara Prasada Rao, Advocate & Presenting Officer

– **through** the DG., ACB., A.P., Vijayawada.

Sri K.Venkateswarlu, former Commissioner, Nellore Municipal Corporation,
Presently working as Additional Director, OSD-GIS, APMDP., Guntur

– **through** the DMA., A.P., Guntur

Sri R.Rajendra Prasad, Manager, O/o Commissioner,
Nellore Municipal Corporation, SPSR Nellore District

– **through** the DMA., A.P., Guntur.

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada.

The Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur.

Copy to:

The G.A. (COI-JS) Dept., A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.

The Secretary, A.P.V.C., 5th Building, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.

The Commissioner, Nellore Municipal Corporation, SPSR Nellore District.

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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER.